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4           12. The machine according to claim 7 wherein all wide  
5 additional machine elements, in particular gears of the blade drums  
6 and a lifter for one of the feed rollers, are mounted outside the  
7 side walls.

This amendment is submitted in an earnest effort to advance this case to issue without delay. The claims have been redone principally to eliminate multiple dependencies. Otherwise new claims 7 through 12 correspond to original claims 1 through 6.

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